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With all due respect, I have never seen a sorrier excuse as the one where thousands of mostly lower income children loose the opportunity to learn from new resources valued in the billion(s) because of the way antitrust laws are being construed. Why not just require Microsft to fund, at whatever amount prescribed, the school's choice of computer systems, Microsoft based or otherwise?